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From:	Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]
Sent:	Wednesday, May 07, 2008 6:55 PM
To:	'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc:	Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject:	Re: Another great media opportunity!

Governor, the great thing about the format is that we can control the message and put in a plug about Alaska being part of the solution to meet the nation's energy needs, etc.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Wed May 07 18:35:51 2008

Subject: Re: Another great media opportunity!

That sounds fun! I'd do it.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 14:32:43

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:"Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>,"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Another great media opportunity!

Governor -

We received a call from Esquire Magazine. They would like to interview you for a column called "What I've Learned," which Esquire has published each month for the past ten years. It consists of a page of "distilled" wisdom from someone who is living a remarkable life, who has things to say, and who has had an impact on our culture.

The list of past "What I've Learned" participants includes Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, Muhammad Ali, Robert De Niro, Faye Dunaway, Sen. John McCain, Christopher Reeve, Rudolph Giuliani, Julia Child, Ray Charles, Robert McNamara, Buzz Aldrin, Lucinda Williams, Mia Farrow, and many others.

The interview would require a 90 minute commitment, completed by early September. If it all works out, the article would appear in the January 2009 issue.

Thoughts?!!

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage

(907) 465-4031 Juneau

(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 6:25 PM
To: McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Subject: Fw: PR 08-071 Governor Palin Responds to Record Oil Prices 050708

----- Original Message -----

From: Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV) <jessalynn.rintala@alaska.gov>

To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV)

Sent: Wed May 07 16:51:01 2008

Subject: PR 08-071 Governor Palin Responds to Record Oil Prices 050708

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE No. 08-071

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Jessalynn Rintala

Communications Assistant

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 4:58 PM
To: krisandclark@yahoo.com
Subject: Fw: PR 08-071 Governor Palin Responds to Record Oil Prices 050708

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Sarah Palin
STATE OF ALASKA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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From: Kris Perry [krisandclark@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 5:26 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Fw: PR 08-071 Governor Palin Responds to Record Oil Prices 050708

Thanks.

--- On **Wed, 5/7/08, Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)** *<govpalin@alaska.gov>* wrote:

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) <govpalin@alaska.gov>
Subject: Fw: PR 08-071 Governor Palin Responds to Record Oil Prices 050708
To: krisandclark@yahoo.com
Date: Wednesday, May 7, 2008, 4:57 PM

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Sent: Wed May 07 16:51:01 2008
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Subject: Re: Please approve

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 16:02:05

To:"Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>,ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc:"Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>,"Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>,"Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>,"Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA)" <shaagenson@aidea.org>,"Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>,"Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Please approve

Looks good. Are we targeting a day next week? Thursday, after the cabinet meeting?

-Pat

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:46 PM

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Please approve

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:55 PM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Karleen/Hogan

Oh, excellent.

And no, we're not doing a presser re: K's departure. You're right on.

Thank you!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 15:47:18

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Karleen/Hogan

I talked to Karleen regarding the "cordial departure" and coordinated with her on what we are going to say, she is good with it. She was expecting us to do a press release. I indicated no we were NOT that we are prepared to address the questions when the press calls start coming in. I informed Sharon so she is ready to respond to any calls she gets and told her what the company line is.

Bill Hogan is honored to be acting and he indicated the department can take a sigh of relief now. I asked him to prepare in the near future a fleshed out proposal of the issue he proposed in his earlier email. We need to have the department to detail for the record how and what is needed to accomplished those goals. I asked him to call a time out on the needless recruitments that are out there right now until he has time to reassess the structure of the department. We need to find a few folks with the right skill set to fill a couple of the key jobs in the dept that are currently missing. I will get with Bill next week to discuss an improved structure in the department to get things back on track.

Mike

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:56 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:50 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Linda Cowley

address: 120 N. Val Vista Dr. 254 Mesa AZ 85213

949-838-5845

MESSAGE:

Sarah,

It has been several years since we have spoken, but I always think of you fondly and with great admiration. I saw a picture of you and Tod and Trig in the Arizona Republic this last Sunday (I moved here in March), and wanted to extend my congratulations to you both ("Yashar Koach" in Hebrew). If you are asked to run for Veep, I will most definitally vote for you! If you make it to Arizona, I will come out to see you and hear you speak.

God's blessings to you and Todd and the whole family.

Love,

Linda

949-838-5845

LSC48@cox.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:12 PM
To: Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Town Hall Meeting

From: jmhorn@gci.net [mailto:jmhorn@gci.net]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 12:38 PM

To: Guttenberg, David (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Coghill, John (LAA); Gruenberg, Max F (LAA); Kelly, Mike (LAA); Kawasaki, Scott Jw (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Thomas, Joe (LAA)

Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Town Hall Meeting

Gentlemen

There are so many issues that need to be talked about, but one most importantly is energy cost in Fairbanks and surrounding area.

I'm a 55 year resident and like most who live here in Fairbanks, know the res

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:10 PM
To: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 11:42 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Carl Crosman

address: Hc 60 # 307 Copper Center AK 99573

907-822-4109

MESSAGE:

Gov. Palin 1st things first. Congratulations on the birth of your son. I am writing to ask for your support of Copper Valley Electric Cooperative's Allison Lake Project in the budget. As a resident of the Edgerton hyway I believe this is a GREAT PROJECT. A new feasability study has been completed and came back positive. This is not a pipedream, the licience/permit has been applied for. This is the part we need the state's help on as it is very expensive and we are already being overwelmed by the high cost of our energy. This is not an atomic energy plant not is it a coal burner. It is a small hydro plant being built above any spawning area without the need for a dam . It is an eco-friendly, non polluting, renewable energy source. This should be the poster child for Alaska's energy policy. Thank you for your time and any support you can give us. Respectfully, Carl

cs5k@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:08 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 10:56 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. David Jones

address: 17930 NW 90th Court FANNING SPRINGS FL 32693

352-463-2602

MESSAGE:

May 7th, 2008

Just read an article on the birth of your son Trig Paxson Van Palin in April. We here in Fanning Springs, Florida want to congratulate you for your awesome child. We know that he will be a special blessing to you and your family. We have been honored to know Little Sara in our church for so many years. She has always been an inspiration to us all. She is truly a gift from God!

May the Lord continue to bless you and your family as you are a great inspiration to so many others.

Pastor David Jones & members of Fanning Springs Community Church

fscommchurch@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:04 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 10:18 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Thomas Niverth

address: 7 boomer rd. Hopatcong NJ 07843

908-656-0342

MESSAGE:

Congadulations on the birth of your son. Good luck and God Bless.

Tommy.

tniverth@excite.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:02 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 9:35 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Judith Kaminsky

address: 152 Overlook Drive Pine Mountain GA 31822

(706) 663-8770

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

Our daughter, Jana Hoyt, who lives in Anchorage has kept us abreast of your outstanding leadership as Gov. of Alaska. We are quite proud of the way you have handled the issues facing your state, and we are most appreciative of your conservatism.

Most recently, Jana has informed us of the birth of your latest child, sending us articles and pictures from the local media. We applaud you and your husband for the positive way that you have received your precious new baby. Your comments and those of your husband about raising your new son with such heart warming enthusiasm were the most beautiful thoughts and words that anyone could ever imagine. When others may have been devastated at the news that you received from your doctor, your family elected to view the situation in an entirely different way and with an entirely different perspective. You are most unique in your attitudes and your strength.

We congratulate you on your beautiful new son, and we hope that you will continue to be a blessing to him and to others who may find themselves in same situation. God knew what He was doing when He chose you to receive this wonderful gift, for He surely knew that you would not only be the best parents for this special child, but also that you would be the best role models for others. May He give you strength to continue as you have already done so magnificently in both your personal and professional lives, and may He continue to bless you and your entire family with the goodness and bounty that you so richly deserve.

To end on a lighter note, may I just say, "You go, Gov! You rock!"

Sincerely,

Judith G. and Sidney F. Kaminsky

Pine Mountain, GA

LivingairJudy@aol.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 3:01 PM
To: 'tjc@gci.net'
Subject: RE: Zoo

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: tjc@gci.net [mailto:tjc@gci.net]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 8:31 AM

To: sjensen@alaskazoo.org

Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Zoo

I hate zoo's. They confine a wild animal in an unnatural environment in an unnatural manner. I think you should plan on a future closing and if possible rehab the animals and return them to the wild. I hope you don't get any expansion money.

Thomas J. Classen

Fairbanks, AK

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:59 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 7:09 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. SuEllen Cournoyer

address: 155 Wood Pond Rd South Windsor CT 06074

860-432-0045

MESSAGE:

Hello Governor, I would like to say congratulations of the birth of your new son, and welcome to an extrodinary extended family. I wish you and your family many years of joy and happiness. Get ready to spend your days looking at this world in a whole new way. Your son will amaze you everyday with his ability to love and accept "EVERYONE" as themselves and for who they are. You will truly see a world from his point of view where we are all equal and special in our own way. May he be healthy and a little devil to keep you on your toes. If you ever do come across obsticles please know that al you have to do is reach out, and your new "Family" will be there to help in every way possible.

My name is SuEllen, and I have family in your beautiful state from Kodiak to anchorage. I am also the very proud parent of a 9 year old little girl named Alexandra who just happens to have Down Syndrome. She also has an older and younger brother to challenge on a daily basis. Alex has had her medical challenges through out her short life so far, she ia about to goin for her 18th surgery (3 of those have been open heart), but she is the best thing i have ever done in my life.

If you ever need anything just ask. But I just wanted to say hello and welcome. I would send you a picture but I can't on this website.

I wish you all the best with your entire family. you are truly blessed.

As i love to say "appreciate the journey" you are one of the lucky ones to take this path.

Sincerely yours,

SuEllen Cournoyer - Mom to Austin 11, Alex 9 and Ethan 6

SuEllen.Cournoyer@thehartford.com

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Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:58 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Seniors

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 7:03 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Seniors

Web mail from: Mr. Brian Roos

address: 1140 Pickering Drive Fairbanks AK 99709

9074511167

MESSAGE:

I sent this origninally and did not select the topic correctly. It confirmed with a "re:Seniors" reply. Let's try again with Social Services. Thanks, brian

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Congratulations on the addition of your son Trig to the family!

We are writing to ask for your support for the funding request being

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Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 4:29 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Toni Lund

address: 1630 E 2450 South #5 St. George UT 84790

435-673-3855

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations on the birth of your baby. There was an article in our local paper about the birth and a photo of you and your husband and the baby. I know it is not pleasant news to learn that your baby is down syndrome. I too had a baby later in life and my mother thought she looked like a mongoloid. That was 24 years ago. In looking back on the pictures, I might have to agree with her. What I can look at today and see as a blessing, is that Amanda had Asthma. I was just beginning to learn about herbs, my mother had studied them for years, and used Lobelia to calm her bronchials when she had an asthma attack. Then we were introduced to a green barley juice. I put her and my son, who was two, on the juice. I no longer gave them milk to drink but gave them this juice instead. After their first serving they no longer had another asthma attack. Why am I telling you this? We have not been to a doctor since the birth of my daughter 24 years ago, so I do not know if she would h

ave been diagnosed with down syndrome or if she was indeed a mongoloid. I was treated by a midwife and s o there were no tests run. I developed placenta previa six months into my pregancy and then was under a doctors watchful eye. Amanda was delivered by cessarian at seven months, very healthy by all standards.

Looking back on her life and drinking the green barley I feel it may have been the thing that has changed her life. She has just graduated from BYU-Hawaii in Social Work. She spent last summer in Alaska working in Denali and is in every way "normal" If making that small dietary change made the difference, I am eternally grateful. I just wanted you to know about our experience and if you want to know more I would be happy to share pictures of Amanda then and now, or answer any questions you might have.

God Bless you and your family,

Toni Lund

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To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:44 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. LARRY SULLIVAN

address: 1805 WILLOW CREEK CT FREDERICK MD 21702

301-662-7939

MESSAGE:

GOV PALIN

AS A FATHER OF A 25 YEAR OLD DON WITH DOWN'S SYNDROME

I WANTED TO LET YOU KNOW THAT BY NOW YOU HAVE HEARD A LOT OF HORROR STORY'S OF WHAT YOUR SON WILL NOT BE ABLE TO DO

SOME ARE TRUE MOST ARE NOT THERE ARE LEVELS OF RETARDATION

THE ONE THING YOUR SON IS GOING TO NEED IS A STRONG ADVOCATE

AS A FEMALE AND A GOVERNOR I THINK YOUR ALREADY USED TO STANDING UP FOR YOURSELF, AND I DON'T THINK YOU WILL HAVE ANY TROUBLE STANDING UP FOR YOUR SON

MY SON IS MULTI-HANDICAPED(BLIND, DEAF, BRAIN DAMAGED AS WELL AS DOWNS. BUT HE IS MY LIFE LINE TO SANITY NO MATTER HOW BAD THINGS GET HE CAN MAKE ME SMILE

I WANTED YOU TO KNOW ITS NO BED OF ROSES BUT AS A MOTHER OF "NORMAL CHILDREN" I FIGURE YOU ALREADY KNOW THAT

JUST DON'T LET ALL THE EXPERTS TELL YOU WHAT YOUR SON CAN AND CANNOT DO YOU WILL KNOW AND KEEP PUSHING HIM TO BE ALL HE CAN BE

GOOD LUCK

AND ENJOY THE LOVE YOU WILL FIND IN YOUR SON

LARRY1805@MSN.COM

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Subject: FW: Other

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Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:44 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. stacy grenier

address: 22520 Whispering Birch Circle chugiak AK 99567

907-688-8900

MESSAGE:

Hello,

My name is Stacy, I wanted to write and tell you that I have worked w/ D.D. adults and kids since I was 12 years old.

My favorite job so far was as a thereaputic horse back riding instructor.

(I have worked at Easter seals, Girls scouts, and the YWCA)

I have so much I want to say, but to some it up, when I think of a child with Down sydrome I smile, because I have never met a happier person in my life.

Happy, hardworking, honest,

Just three of the qualities you can count on your baby coming by naturally.

We talk about down syndrome as an extra chromosome vs. the rest of us missing one !

I just had a baby, A boy who is 4 and half months old, he is my 3rd child the other 2 are teenagers and he was a surprise. I currently am a student at UAA, studing Psychology/law, with a goal of becoming a lobbist for D.D. rights.

I guess my reasons for this letter are 3 fold,

1. Your view as far as pro life, you were put to the test and you didn't wavier, Amazing !

2. Just to say congrats, all babies change your life and some

Change the world!

3. I would love the chance to help, for free. Like I said I am a student, I am off all summer and then have plenty of free time during school, my baby would love a playmate.

I am 31, not a kid. I have worked w/ D.D. for 19 years, I have all the normal stuff (C.P.R./First Aid/C.N.A./ Medication delagated in 3 states/ Thereaputic riding instructor in 2 states)

I love the work I do, It completes me.

I am amazed by your ability, not only as a Gov, but as a Mother. The fact that you Juggle both so well,....

No one even knew you were pregnant for months, and all along you were planning to give birth/ while running the state, Hats off to you.

I have a list of references that I can provide on request, one reference is

ROBIN HAVERTY(Director) at Hope House foundation in Virginia 757-625-6161

if you would like more, or if you would like to speak to me,

I can be reached at 907-688-8900- home (in Chugiak) or Cell 907-830-0001.

Thank you, for your time,

and best to you and your children,

Stacy

sgrenier@gci.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:51 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 1:58 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Barry Siegel

address: PO Box 9062 Surprise AZ 85374

623-556-9915

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

I saw you on TV when you gave an interview on C-Span and on another TV news program. I said what an attractive woman Governor Palin is!!!! The operative word that I use is "attractive." I was astonished to see a politician--you--answer C-Span callers with much candor but also with much graciousness toward the callers. This graciousness is also "attractive." Finally, I read in the local newspaper that your husband and you just had a child with special needs. The way that the article described the love and devotion that you have for your new child is the ultimate attractiveness to me.

In Jewish, we have a word for a person who is decent and kind: a "MENSCH." Both your husband and you are "MENSCH," as you intend to raise your new child with special needs with attention and love. Being a "Mensch" is most attractive to me!

I wish you continued success with your political career. I wish your family all the best, and I congratulate your husband and you upon the birth of your new child.

Finally, politically, John McCain should choose you as his Vice-Presidentia running mate. You would be a female candidate added to the presidential ticket, but most of all, I opine that you would a qualified choice and most qualified to run the USA if the unforseen happened.

May G-D bless your new baby, your family, and you.

Warmest wishes,

Barry Siegel

Barry P. Siegel, CPA

bps007@earthlink.net

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Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Elections

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 1:56 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Mr. Ron Peters

address: 146 Ramses Lane Shreveport LA 71105

318-834-3911

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I am a high school teacher as well as a retired member of the United States Army. Even way down here in the deep south, we have heard your name, along with our own Governor mentioned as a possible vice-presidential candidate. I have not seen your name on any of the recent "short lists", however I think you could do alot for the Republican Party and would be an outstanding chice. Is this within the realm of Possibility?

God Bless!

huskerbs1@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:44 PM
To: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: AGIA Communications

Everyone has to be on the same page on this before I'm brought in so I'm not in any kind of mediating, "in-between" position. So, until the whole team is wholly on board with whatever the plan is, I'll stay out of the circle and wait until all experts hash it out.

------Original Message------

From: Rosanne Hughes

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: May 7, 2008 2:28 PM

Subject: AGIA Communications

Governor, I just got out of a meeting with Commissioners Irwin & Galvin, Marty, Bruce, Meg and Joe. They have a communications plan they want to roll out to you ASAP that involved a phone call, tomorrow, to the national presidential campaigns.

I would like to talk to you about this at your convenience, Governor.

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Just my two cents' worth, since you hired me to advise you on communications issues.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:37 PM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Health and Social Services "Big Picture" Priorities

Wow- this is very good. And it's more information than I've ever seen in all these months from HSS. It looks like he and his mid-management team are on a very sensible path. I'm glad he shared these four objectives... I agree with them.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 13:56:36

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Health and Social Services "Big Picture" Priorities

This is what Bill gave me on the H&SS moving forward in the second half of the administration. Little long but we can use this for some of the specifics relating to your "half time" discussion you had with Karleen in regards to where you want the department to go in the second half of your first term. I will get with Sharon to be ready for the press inquiries and I will follow up with Karleen with this as being the message. Your thoughts?

From: Hogan, William H (HSS)

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 1:14 PM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Hogan, William H (HSS)

Subject: Health and Social Services "Big Picture" Priorities

Mike thanks for giving me the opportunity to articulate the four (4) "big picture" priorities for the Department of Health and Social Services. I hope you will hear the overriding theme for our future direction: helping individuals and families create safe and healthy communities.

(1) Substance Abuse – substance abuse affects every family and community in Alaska. It is a contributing factor in suicides, crime, unemployment, domestic violence, child abuse, school dropouts, juvenile delinquency, etc. Although we have a number of initiatives underway designed to prevent the use of alcohol and other drugs (i.e. the Prevention of Underage Drinking Initiative) and treat those with serious substance abuse/chemical dependency problems – we need to develop a public/private partnership and long term strategy to significantly reduce the use of alcohol and other drugs in our State.

(2) Health and Wellness – we have a population that has excessive rates of tobacco use, binge drinking, cancer, heart disease, sexually transmitted diseases, cardio-pulmonary problems, diabetes and obesity (especially in kids). We need to work to ensure people take "Personal Responsibility" for their own health and wellbeing.

(3) Healthcare Reform – our health care system continues to be fragmented and uncoordinated and …. frankly doesn't produce the kinds of outcomes we expect. Our Medicaid budget has grown to $1.2 billion dollars and supports a broad array of programs and services – but is it the best mix of services for the money we spend? The Medicaid "benefit package" needs to be re-configured to better meet the health needs of Medicaid recipients and their families in a more cost effective and efficient manner. We also need to address the uninsured problem in Alaska because "we" are paying for "very expensive" care through increased use of emergency rooms and people waiting too long to get care – resulting in more serious, chronic conditions. Implementing a disease management program is a potential solution.

(4) Long Term Care – Seniors are our fastest growing population in Alaska. What kinds of services do we want for our aging parents (and grandparents) in order to keep them at home in their own communities? The services currently range from in home supports like personal care assistance, assisted living homes (i.e. the Pioneer Homes) to nursing homes. Is this the best configuration? We are developing a strategic plan to determine how best to meet the needs of our aging population over the next decade and beyond.

This is a very "broad brush", high level description of what we think we should focus on over the next 2+ years. Needless to say we still need to ensure kids are safe through our Office of Children's Services, that both kids and communities are safe through our Juvenile Justice programs, that developmentally disabled kids and adults have access to quality services and supports, that individuals and families get the kind of financial and vocational supports they need through our Public Assistance programs and that we continue to ensure we successfully fulfill our numerous public health functions.

I hope this is what you were looking.

Please thank the Governor for giving me the opportunity to articulate our priorities. Also please thank her for the trust and confidence she has placed in us to lead our Department forward in order to meet the health and social service needs of all Alaskans.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:39 PM
To: Fuglestad; Brenda J (AIDEA)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: windy future

-----Original Message-----

From: iw751@alaska.net [mailto:iw751@alaska.net]

Sent: Tuesday, May 06, 2008 10:48 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE: windy future

>Gov.

No, I do not think so. Read it!

Gregory B Kucera

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns,

> opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable
> to

> the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every
> email

> herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the

> appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your
> need,

> suggestion, or comment.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: iw751@alaska.net [mailto:iw751@alaska.net]

> Sent: Sunday, May 04, 2008 10:15 AM

> To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)

> Cc: akkuc@alaska.net

> Subject: windy future

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> Governor Palin,

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> Good Morning, I am finally getting this message off to you just more

> than a week

> after I had intended. It is not that this issue is of little
> importance

> to me but

> more so that these times are times full of things to be done, times
> with

> many in

> need and all at hand are items of an urgent nature. Well, you know
> all

> about that.

> I was very fortunate to attend the recent Wind-Diesel Workshop 2008.
> I

> found it to

> be one of the more informative programs I have attended in some time.

> When I

> fashion time for these things I find myself reasoning the value of
> time

> spent there

> against the value of knowledge and networking possibilities. I am

> certain it was a

> cost effective event as well as enjoyable, you should have been there.

>

> It is good to meet some of the folks of the AEA. Steve Haagenson,
> very

> intelligent

> and straight up. Martia Dabo, very informative presentation on past

> present and

> future developments. And last but not least Peter Crimp, just gotta

> love that

> Government funding. The State of Alaska seems to have its hand on the

> pulse of

> renewable energy, that would be a credit to you Governor.

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> I have come away with the impression of this industry, renewable power

> is once

> again positioned to step forward and finally become the efficient

> affordable source

> of energy and assume the role it was designed for. Western Alaska as

> well as

> villages and communities around the state are suffering due to the

> corrupt expenses

> of fuel. My limited opinion yet mine none the less is that there is

> room for

> competition in these rural areas and the employment of larger systems

> verses the

> limited activity that has been the norm. Supply, demand and the
> soaring

> fuel

> prices should send the message for change.

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> Governor Palin, what I ultimately am looking for from you is the
> support

> of the

> very visible Fire Island Project. This project will be the Wind

> Generation

> showcase for Alaska. Testament to the commitment of Alaskans
> throughout

> our state

> to the future of renewable energy. Please allow this project to
> remain

> intact in

> the budget. Just loose that V. pen when you come to Fire Island
> during

> the review.

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> I shall step down and move away from my soap box, should you see
> reason

> to step up

> on it and I am asking that you may do just that, I will support your

> endeavors to

> broaden the employment of wind generation and the other renewable
> energy

> sources

> available in Alaska.

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> Thank you for your esteemed Consideration

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> Gregory B. Kucera

> FST/BM

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> P.S. I am in Kodiak on Monday to meet with the firm involved with the

> turbine

> construction on Pillar Mtn. come join us. We would be honored.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:32 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, May 06, 2008 10:52 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Ms. Stephanie Hartman

address: 12010 Anchor Place Anchorage AK 99515

907-344-6328

MESSAGE:

Dear Mrs. Palin,

Let me start by congratulating you on the recent birth of your son, Trig. As a mother of now of five, I know you understand the importance of a quality education for the brightest future possible for Anchorage, and all of Alaska. Education to me, as a graduate of Washington State Uni

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:30 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, May 06, 2008 9:21 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Bruce Predbon

address: 125 Wallace Ave Leechburg PA 15656

724-845-6445

MESSAGE:

Govenor Palin,

Cogratulations to you and your family on your latest addition.

I am visiting Alaska on business and read about your new son in the Anchorage Daily News. Alaskans seem to have made a wise choice for govenor. I hope you continue to be sucessful in your political career as our nation needs more people in goverment with your leadership skills and sense of family.

God bless you and your family.

Bruce Predebon

bpredebon@pharmacareservices.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 1:35 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Morgan; Katryn L (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Scheduling - Friday, 05.09.08 and Friday, 05.16.08

Sounds fine. If it looks like it's cumbersome or inappropriate to leave early then I shall not depart early... so we need the LtGov to be ready for the Police Memorial in case I can't make it.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 13:29:13

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>,"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Cc:"Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)" <kate.morgan@alaska.gov>,"Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>,"Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Scheduling - Friday, 05.09.08 and Friday, 05.16.08

RE: Print signing, I've asked. Tennys (the Anchorage committee) said changing would be a challenge as they are expecting all eight Governors and it sounds like the advisory (and the advertisement was in paper) has already been distributed. I told Tennys that you have to depart by 2pm. She will assist in ensuring that also.

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From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 06 May 2008 16:57:26

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

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Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 1:20 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Morgan; Katryn L (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Goode; Kelly C (GOV)
Subject: Re: Scheduling - tomorrow

When deb joslin wrote the email she said she only needed 10 minutes for our meeting tomorrow, correct? And I'll let Kelly G know of this mtg bc she's asking good question about the abortion issues as they relate to leggies who are (or more likely are NOT) asking us to do what Lyda has requested with expanding the sp sess call.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Wed, 7 May 2008 21:15:07

To:"Janice Mason" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>,"Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Cc:"Kate Morgan" <kate.morgan@alaska.gov>,"Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>,"Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 12:30 PM
To: Goode; Kelly C (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: One more thought re: Senator Green

Lyda is requesting this to bail her butt out of the pickle she got herself in. She's got major pressure on her from conservative groups and tho she's succeeded to a degree in putting the burden back on us to expand the call and deal with the failed legislation, she hasn't totally deflected the criticism from herself to us. She believes her hide will be saved if she gets us to take on this entire burden and wheel and deal to get the bills passed.

We did not introduce the bills. We have not heard from lawmakers what they want us to do with the request for expanded call, except from those asking us to please NOT mix AGIA and abortion, and please NOT call a sp session to deal with legislation that coulda/shoulda been dealt with at the appropriate time through regular session. I'm not hearing from anyone but Lyda re: this issue. But even Lyda can't committ to a successful effort on her part to usher through these bills.

I feel very "set up" by Lyda on this one... we're being used. I do want the bills passed, obviously, and I don't want her to get to put any blame on me for the failure of these bills to have been adopted. She can't succeed in that mission because it's untruthful, it's selfish on her part, it would not be right for her to continue to send a message that somehow this issue is my fault or my problem.

My challenge is to get these bills passed while we potentially have the votes to do so... but not to cave and do what she's calling on me to do (and it may not even be fruitful) just to save her butt with conservatives. She's done nothing - and I mean nothing - to usher through any sort of conservative agenda since she became Prez. She's done nothing but covertly and overtly try to destroy my admin's agenda from gasline to budget constraints to everything else.

You have not a clue what we've had to deal with since Day One with Lyda and her office. The mean-spirited tactics they've taken have absolutely amazed and saddened me.

I want to see HER leadership skills and passion at play here. She needs to figure out how to get this done without using anyone else - and with only truthful efforts at play (which may be tough for her and her staff), and she still has not told anyone what her plan is to usher through the bills. If she truly has it in her heart to see these issues addressed she'd figure out a way to do it.

If there was a sp sess to deal with this it should be a one day event in Anchorage to get it over with. And knowing Lyda she wouldn't even agree to that.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Goode, Kelly C (GOV)" <kelly.goode@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 12:08:55

To:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: One more thought re: Senator Green

Governor,

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

I just want to be sure we look at both sides before determining the best action.

kelly

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Wed 5/7/2008 8:47 AM

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Subject: Senator Green

Lyda called this morning. She is back from Texas and would like to follow-up w/you on your last conversation re: Special Session. She said she has a plan that she wants to run by you. Also, she stated that she has heard that some entities (didn't state who, but I'm guessing AK Family Council - Jim Minnery's group) will be campaigning to get the bills heard during special session and she would like to divert that.

I told her that I would relay the message but due to your schedule, am not sure how soon you would be able to contact her. She left the following numbers: cell Privileged, hm Privileged or P

Kris Perry, Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin &

Office of International Trade

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 12:33 PM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: follow-up

Fyi confidential

----- Original Message -----

From: Jackson, Karleen K (HSS)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed May 07 12:28:31 2008

Subject: RE: follow-up

Thank you, Governor. As I said, it has been an honor to work with you. I appreciate your response and am working with Mike to make sure the transition is as smooth and positive as possible.

God bless you and yours...

Karleen

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 11:56 AM

To: Jackson, Karleen K (HSS); Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: follow-up

Hi Karleen - I did get the emails and I apologize for taking the time it's taken to respond. I agree with totally positive messaging through this... Mr. Nizich will be contacting you soon about the logisitics involved in smooth transition at this "half time".

I thank you sincerely for your dedication to Alaska and the important health and social services that have been so important to all Alaskans. I know we've all been placed in our positions for good reasons, no matter how long that placement tenure was. I can sincerely and enthusiastically say I am very thankful to have had this time to work with you and to get to know you. I am quite confident you will be moving on to even greener pastures, as you have great talent and giftings and you're going to continue to excel.

Thank you for your kind and encouraging messages, and your upstanding professionalism through a transition time.

God bless,

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Jackson, Karleen K (HSS)" <karleen.jackson@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 07 May 2008 08:30:09

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Subject: follow-up

Governor,

Just checking to see if you got the emails I sent you on Mon. night and Tues. morning - and the envelope I dropped off with Kris for you yesterday afternoon?

Thanks.

Karleen

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From: Jackson, Karleen K (HSS) [karleen.jackson@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 8:30 AM
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: follow-up
Importance: High

Governor,

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Thanks.

Karleen

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From: ETS Help Center [help_center@admin.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 7:08 AM

To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Password expiration warning

Take Action Today!

The password for SOA userID 'govsp' expires Thursday May 8th, 2:34 PM.
In most state agencies, this is not the userID and password used to logon to individual computers. The password can be changed using the SOA Password Change page or Outlook Web Access.
Your new password must be at least eight characters long and include at least three of these four types of characters:

- upper case alphabet
- lower case alphabet
- numbers
- punctuation or symbols

Prior passwords may not be re-used.

Important Note! - Web browsers, email clients, handheld email devices and other applications can store and continue to use an old password after it has been changed, possibly triggering lockout. Such applications should be closed while (or immediately after) changing a password. These stored passwords may need to be updated or deleted.

Please contact your local or departmental support technicians with any questions or requests for assistance related to changing passwords.

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 9:28 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Homer

I will think about who I would recommend and send a note to you. Talis.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Sent: Wed May 07 09:23:05 2008

Subject: Re: Homer

Tell them hello, good luck, I love 'em, find something they love to do and figure out a way to get paid for doing it.

Thanks for doing the speech! They'll love you.

Thanks for yesterday's meeting also. We do need the Native sub-cabinet (what were we going to call it?) and pls let me know who you'd like to see serve on it. Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 06 May 2008 14:58:40

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Homer

Dear Governor Palin,

Tomorrow I will be the commencement speaker at Katchemak Bay Kenai Peninsula College. I had sent you an email before enquiring if you had any message I should deliver and I realized that you may not have read it as it turned out that that was the day Trig Paxson Van Palin was born. Any particular message other than "greetings from the

Governor"? Talis

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 9:18 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Subject: Re: Juneau Empire

Does anyone know where the letter is?

No need to fall into Forgey's trap on this and react to his question about my intentions on Juneau energy relief - as Tom pointed out in his email we are very, very intent on (and engaged in) statewide relief for high energy prices. I listened to the Disaster Cabinet and its decision was to not declare a statewide emergency caused by the avalanche. But Forgey is known for misconstruing most everything I/we say, so the less said the better until we get to announce our statewide energy relief plan.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 06 May 2008 17:09:52

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,"Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>,"Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: Juneau Empire

Governor-

The Juneau Empire is asking about a letter you received yesterday from the Juneau delegation. In the letter, they outlined why they believe the Disaster Policy Cabinet erred by defining a disaster too narrowly. Mike Nizich is hoping to arrange a teleconference with you, himself and General Campbell tomorrow at 2 p.m. to discuss the findings and options to move forward. I don't have much to tell the Empire at this point. May I tell the Empire about the impending meeting?

Sharon Leighow

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From: Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 9:15 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR)
Subject: Re: Back from Bethel

I spoke to Mayor Whitaker last night about waiting a week or so to go out with his declaration. He needs to check with the Clerk to see what his options are. He will contact me by Noon to discuss further.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR); Balash, Joseph R (GOV)

Sent: Wed May 07 09:07:50 2008

Subject: Re: Back from Bethel

Thanks so much for being there. I, too, am hearing everyday from people all over Alaska who are in distress over energy prices. They know the state has the resources to provide some relief to the resource owners, and I'm being asked what we plan to do to help.

We had a great discussion about this yesterday as the team shared your work product with me re: Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Whittaker's announcement on Fairbanks disaster declaration will put us in a perceived reactionary mode so we need to get the word out as soon as possible to let Alaskans know the progress being made towards plugging in some of these relief efforts. It'll be huge news - Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
Privi - that's the right thing to do.

All of your work is sincerely appreciated. Thank you.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Steve Haagenson <shaagenson@aidea.org>

Date: Tue, 06 May 2008 23:54:25

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Tom Irwin <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>,Marty Rutherford <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>,Patrick Galvin <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, Joe Balash

<joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Subject: Back from Bethel

Had a positive town hall meeting in Bethel.

Heard a lot of statements about how the whole area is hurting. The high cost of energy is absorbing the limited funds from the subsistence life style in this economically depressed area.

They actually have people leaving Bethel as they cannot afford to stay.

One person had forty apartments that were all full, with a waiting list, last year. Today, there is a 20% occupancy rate.

Steve

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From: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KJREHFELD]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:54 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); 'knallc@aol.com'
Subject: RE: Budget

Dear Ms. Knall:

Thank you for your email to Governor Palin regarding funding for the University of Alaska projects in the FY2009 capital budget.

We will work with legislators and review each project prior to making any decision regarding individual projects. Public input is an important part of the budget process. The information you provided will be considered in our evaluation of the budget.

Thank you again for your comments.

Karen J. Rehfeld, Director

Office of Management and Budget

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tuesday, April 15, 2008 11:37 AM

To: 'knallc@aol.com'

Subject: RE: Budget

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 15, 2008 11:04 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Ms. Cindy Knall

address: 2331 Canary Ct. Anchorage AK 99515

9072452446

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

I am writing to request your support of the legislature approved funding for repair and maintenance of University of Alaska buildings, for the UAA Health Sciences Building, and for planning and site preparation for an athletic facility at UAA. These projects are critical to the health and well being of UAA, to the health and well being of the students and to the health and well being of the State of Alaska. Alaskans need the best trained and educated workforce. To accomplish this goal, the University of Alaska Anchorage needs the legislature approved funding for these projects.

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Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 2:33 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: *Another great media opportunity!*

Governor -

We received a call from Esquire Magazine. They would like to interview you for a column called "What I've Learned," which Esquire has published each month for the past ten years. It consists of a page of "distilled" wisdom from someone who is living a remarkable life, who has things to say, and who has had an impact on our culture.

The list of past "What I've Learned" participants includes Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, Muhammad Ali, Robert De Niro, Faye Dunaway, Sen. John McCain, Christopher Reeve, Rudolph Giuliani, Julia Child, Ray Charles, Robert McNamara, Buzz Aldrin, Lucinda Williams, Mia Farrow, and many others.

The interview would require a 90 minute commitment, completed by early September. If it all works out, the article would appear in the January 2009 issue.

Thoughts?!!

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From: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KJREHFELD]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 9:45 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); 'crsouser@gmail.com'
Subject: Alaska Zoo

Dear Mr. Souser:

Thank you for your email to Governor Palin regarding funding for the Alaska Zoo in the FY2009 capital budget.

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Thank you again for your comments.

Karen J. Rehfeld, Director

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-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tuesday, May 06, 2008 1:48 PM

To: 'crsouser@gmail.com'

Subject: RE: Legal_and_lawsuits

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Sent: Tuesday, May 06, 2008 12:57 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Legal_and_lawsuits

Web mail from: Mr. Christopher Souser

address: 6711 Weimer Dr #4 Anchorage AK 99502

9079297231

MESSAGE:

Governer Palin,

I would just like to voice my support for the legislation supporting the funding of the Alaska Zoo. It is Alaska's only Zoo that I am aware of and I believe it is in a sad state and needs support. Please protect its funding.

Thank You,

Christopher Souser

crsouser@gmail.com

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 10:33 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
Subject: FW: Gov. Palin, my heroine

Governor/Todd - This was forwarded to me by Karen Lewis, Exec. Dir. Alaska Right to Life. I thanked her and let her know I would forward directly to you. I have pasted into the body of the email. Janice

----- Original Message -----

From: Tony Lauinger - Oklahomans For Life <mailto:tonylauinger@okforlife.org>

To: prolife@mtaonline.net <mailto:prolife@mtaonline.net>

Sent: Tuesday, May 06, 2008 8:31 PM

Subject: Gov. Palin, my heroine

Karen,

Thank you so much for your call. I was privileged to have been asked to give the invocation Friday evening at the Republican S

Attachments:

Invocation, Vice-President Cheney, 2 May '08, Repub State Conv.doc (30810 Bytes)

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

Sent: Wednesday, May 07, 2008 8:47 AM

To: 'Sarah Palin'

Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Goode; Kelly C (GOV)

Subject: Senator Green

Lyda called this morning. She is back from Texas and would like to follow-up w/you on your last conversation re: Special Session. She said she has a plan that she wants to run by you. Also, she stated that she has heard that some entities (didn't state who, but I'm guessing AK Family Council – Jim Minnery's group) will be campaigning to get the bills heard during special session and she would like to divert that.

I told her that I would relay the message but due to your schedule, am not sure how soon you would be able to contact her. She left the following numbers: cell Privilege, hm Privilege

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